

**State of Vermont
Executive Department
A Proclamation**

WHEREAS, engineers use their scientific and technical knowledge and skills in creative and innovative ways to fulfill society's needs; and

WHEREAS, in Vermont, engineers face the major technological challenges of our time -- from rebuilding our towns devastated by natural disasters, cleaning up the environment, and assuring safe, clean, and efficient sources of energy, to designing information systems that will speed our State and country into the future; and

WHEREAS, Vermont's engineers are encouraging our young math and science students to realize the practical power of their knowledge; and

WHEREAS, we will look more than ever to engineers and their knowledge and skills to meet the challenges of the twenty-first century;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Peter Shumlin, Governor of the State of Vermont, do hereby proclaim the week of February 21-27, 2016, as

ENGINEERS WEEK

in Vermont.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Vermont this 23rd day of February, A.D. 2016.



A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a stylized 'P' followed by a long horizontal line.

Peter Shumlin
Governor